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In re Application of:  
Norman Adams, et al. ✓  
Application No.: 09/429,758 ✓  
Filed: October 28, 1999  
Attorney Docket No.: 003660.P005  
For: OPERATING RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  
SYSTEM

Examiner: James H. Zurita  
Art Unit: 3625

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment  
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RESPONSE

Responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 2, 2003 the Applicants  
respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following remarks:

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